



M1 Loader's Hatch Screws

Mechanics, if you find any loose or missing screws on the loader's hatch mounting bracket or door latch for the M1-series tank, replace 'em with NSN 5305-00-688-2111. Then clean out any sealing compound inside the mounting holes, apply new sealing compound, NSN 8030-01-158-6070, to the screw threads, and torque the screws to 36-43 lb-ft. TACOM Ground Precautionary Message 02-014 has the complete scoop.

M88A1 ECD Rods

Need some replacement rods for your M88A1 recovery vehicle's exothermic cutting device (ECD)? Order 'em from this list:

Size (inches)	NSN	Qty
1/4 x 22	3439-01-325-7641*	25
3/8 x 18	3449-01-346-2545	50
3/8 x 36	3439-01-325-7642	25

*Order on a DD Form 1348-6 and put "NSN not on AMDF" in the REMARKS block.

MOUSE PADS

Mouse pads let your computer mouse move smoothly and reduce the amount of dirt that can make the tracker ball jam and stick. Get 'em with these NSNs:

NSN 7045-01-368-	Qty/ Color
4808*	1 Red
4809*	1 Blue
4810*	1 Gray
4811	1 red, 1 blue, 1 gray

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DISTRESS MARKER BATTERY UPDATE

To get light out of distress marker lights, NSN 6230-00-938-1778 or NSN 6230-00-067-5209, use battery, NSN 6135-01-455-9646. Update the battery NSN given on Page 61 of PS 592, too.

Shelter Ladder Kit for FMTV

A ladder adapter kit, NSN 4010-01-470-2864, solves a couple of problems with the S-280 shelter and FMTVs. Not only will the ladder reach the ground with the kit, but there's more space to maneuver at the shelter door. Eyeball Fig 474 of TM 9-2320-366-24P-2 for the kit and its downparts.

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